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THE WAY SATAN QUOTES SCRIPTURE.

Every Democratic newspaper and Democratic speaker in the State are quoting what the CAUCASIAN said about the last legislature betraying the people and being a disgrace to the State. It has been an old trick of Satan's since the beginning of the world, to quote scripture—that is, to quote just enough to misrepresent the truth. These Democratic speakers and the newspapers will not give the whole truth, and quote all the CAUCASIAN said about that legislature.

Why is it they refuse to do this? Because it would convict the majority of the members of that legislature in being responsible for the disgraceful betrayal of the people by that legislature.

The CAUCASIAN specified in what way the legislature betrayed the people and disgraced the State. It gave the voters of the members of different parties, showing not only which parties, but which individuals of each party were responsible.

When the great fight was up before the legislature to stop government by injunction, to check the dangerous aggressions of the Federal Courts, to preserve State rights and uphold the dignity and authority of our State courts, to prevent foreign corporations from removing cases to Federal Courts that ought to be tried in the State Courts, and to investigate the midnight ninety nine year leases in our State Courts, the great monopolists sent their powerful lobbies to the legislature to defeat justice and betray the people. When there is something in it, I will tell you there's something to do between the rights of the State and the welfare of the individual on one hand and corporate greed and oppression on the other, how did the parties vote? In the House eighteen Republicans voted with the people; twenty-seven Populists, voted with the people. How many Democrats voted with the people? (Remember there were as many Democrats in that legislature as Populists, and one more.) Five more Democratic members of the legislature could be found to stand up for justice and right when there millions were at stake and the preservation of the fundamental principles of State sovereignty and good government. When the same battle was waged on the same measures in the Senate, how did the parties vote? Five Republican Senators voted with the people; eighteen Populist Senators voted with the people. How many Democratic Senators voted with the people? Not a single one.

The CAUCASIAN denounced this betrayal of the State in unmeasured terms. It was a base ingratitude. The action of the legislature was a disgrace to the State. Why did not the Democratic papers quote what THE CAUCASIAN said about the action of the different parties on these important measures?

It was the same way when the important bills were up to reduce freight and passenger rates, to reduce and regulate telegraph, telephone and express charges, and other kindred measures. A majority of the Democrats in each house, the vote being 55 to 64 in the House and 24 to 23 in the Senate. If these bills had passed it would have been a saving to the people of the State of over two million dollars a year. They would have saved to the people more than twice all the State taxes each year including the school tax. Common justice demanded such a reduction for the railroads, and monopolists would then have made a larger profit than any other individual or business in the State is making.

The CAUCASIAN published these facts and placed the blame where it belongs. It branded the disgraceful betrayal of the people, and no Democratic paper has ever attempted to deny the facts or to reply to the charges we made.

YES, THE CAUCASIAN repeats that the last legislature disgraced and betrayed the State on many important measures, and it further repeats that in every instance the majority of the Democratic members helped to do the betraying and disgracing of the State.

Hereafter when Democratic speakers recite from THE CAUCASIAN, demand that they fur their read the above facts and reply to them if they can or dare.

SOME POINTED QUESTIONS.

Did not the silver voters of the State co-operate two years ago and carry North Carolina for Bryan and silver by twenty thousand majority? Was that not a white man's majority?

Would not co-operation of the same voters have carried the State by a big majority this year? Would it not have been a white man's majority again this year? Would it not have resulted in electing nine free silver and anti-monopoly Congressmen? Would it not have resulted in electing an anti-monopoly legislature, which would have passed many reforms needed to establish justice between the people and the corporations? Would it not have resulted in giving to the people the best white man's government the State ever saw?

Then why did the Democratic State Convention refuse such a proposition which guaranteed such certain and desirable results? There is but one explanation: the Clevelandites captured the convention and they love monopoly more than they fear "nigger." Everybody knows that a Clevelandite is a monopolist and is against Bryan and silver. Everybody knows that a Clevelandite would not do anything to help the cause of silver or do anything to relieve the people from

the burdens of monopoly and trust domination. But if these Clevelandites tell the truth when they claim that they are terribly frightened at the nightmare of negro domination, and that this is now the supreme and overshadowing issue in the State, then why were they not willing to subordinate their views on the gold and monopoly question in order to get a majority of the white people together even if they were silver men. This would have made a certain victory for the best white man's government that the State ever saw.

Their conduct is strange, but there is an explanation for it. The railroad corporations are "the bigger in the woodpile" in this campaign. They are the overshadowing issue in the background. They are paying their hired attorneys to yell "nigger" to call attention to this fact.

TWO FIGHTERS CONFER.

Recently a Populist farmer called over to see his brother Populist on a neighboring farm.

The following conversation took place:

First Farmer.—Matthew, I heard yesterday that you had said that you might not go to the polls this year. What is the matter?

Second Farmer.—Well John, you know I am a peaceable man; I believe every man ought to have the right to think as he pleases and vote as he pleases, but I do not want to get into any trouble.

First Farmer.—What do you mean, Matthew, I don't understand you?

Second Farmer.—Well John, you know the Democratic bosses have been sending slips of paper through the mail with skulls and crossbones on them and making threats. They boast that they will carry this precinct one way if they cannot carry it another.

They are trying to frighten every peaceful citizen and make him think there will be trouble on election day, and it's my candid opinion that they intend to try to get up a riot on the day of election if they cannot carry it any other way.

First Farmer.—Well Matthew, I have heard all these things too, and I fear there is something in it, but I will tell you their threats have made me more determined to go to the polls and beat them this year than ever before. I have never done more in the past as you know than to go up quietly and peacefully to the polls and cast my vote and go home, but this year I intend not only to vote, but I intend to go to the polls early and work from morning till night. They have scared me that much. Yes, I confess I am frightened at the idea of men like Simmons and his machine of railroad attorneys and ballot box stuffers getting control of North Carolina. Men who will try to bulldoze and frighten voters from exercising peacefully the highest privilege and most sacred duty of an American freeman at the ballot box are not fit men to govern North Carolina. They are dangerous men. They will deny the people justice when they get in power. Men who are trying to intimidate voters by force will be certain to disfranchise them by law if they get into power. Men who will steal votes as Simmons and his ballot box stuffers have, will sell out the State to every corporation and monopoly if it they get into power. I am for Bryan and I am for silver, and I am for a free ballot and a fair count; but the only way to help Bryan and silver in this campaign is to defeat the Clevelandites and railroad attorneys and railroad money that are now running the Democratic party.

Second Farmer.—Well, John, I had not thought about it in that light.

First Farmer.—Well, it is the right thing in which to look at it. I was in favor of the silver forces getting together, as Bryan advised. If we had, everybody would have had to discuss issues instead of talking "nigger." If we had, all of the silver men would have been together and Simmons and his crowd of goldbugs would have been on the other side. This crowd of Democratic politicians who are against Bryan and silver are responsible for this kind of a campaign. They want to howl "nigger" to keep the people from knowing where they stand.

They have howled "nigger" until they are black in the face, and they know they are going to be defeated. Therefore they have now determined to try to frighten you and me away from the polls. The more they try to frighten us the more determined we should be.

Yes, I am frightened, but I am frightened at the idea of such a lot of men getting control of our State. If they do, it is the end of Bryan and silver, and all other reforms as long as they rule. The railroads that put up money to try to beat Bryan and elect McKinley are now in co-operation with the goldbug Democratic traitors. If they carry the State it will be a victory for the goldbug railroads and they will run our next legislature.

Second Farmer—I am satisfied that is so, John. I agree with you that the State is in more danger from the goldbugs and the railroads than it is from the negro.

First Farmer.—Yes, Matthew, you are right. Nobody is in favor of negro domination. If these Democratic goldbugs had been afraid of negro, if they were honest in half they say about the danger of negro domination, they would have co-operated with us and carried the State for silver by twenty thousand majority as we did two years ago. They are simply howling negro to hide their treachery. They are howling negro to get into power, and when they do, they will pass a law disfranchising us so that they can stay in power and continue to sell out to the railroads and goldbugs. They are trying to scare us from the polls, for this is the only way they can win.

Second Farmer.—Right you are, John I am scared now like you are scared; I am scared at the danger of these fellows getting in. I am so scared that I will meet you at the polls on the morning of the election and help you work all day long.

Every time the railroad corporations pour a fresh supply of campaign bode into the campaign hover, every one of the Democratic "nigger" calamity howlers catch fresh breath and yell "nigger" louder than ever.

INFLAMMATORY AND INCENDIARY SPEECHES.

Every thoughtful and law-abiding citizen of the State must have noticed with sorrow, if not alarm, the kind of speeches that are being made by nearly every Democratic speaker from one end of the State to the other. Not a single speaker discourses or appeals to the reason, judgment and sober thought of the public. Their speeches are an appeal to the lower and baser passions of every class of our people and beyond question on a lower plane than any of the other campaign speeches ever before heard in the State. Their speeches are inflammatory and incendiary to a high degree. Such speeches are calculated to arouse the baser and meaner passions of all classes of people of all parties. It is the highest tribute to the manhood, common sense and self-possession of the citizens of the State that they have not already precipitated riot and bloodshed.

A lot of political manipulators and managers, whose cause is bad, that they must stoop to such detestable and revolutionary means deserve to be condemned by the ballot-box by the biggest majority ever polled in North Carolina. It is clear that this class of politicians are willing to sacrifice the best interests of the State, destroy peace and order, and even cause bloodshed and riot if they can gain partisan advantage. They are further attempting to intimidate the freemen of North Carolina who do not believe with them in order to scare them away from the polls. The danger of such a set of men getting into power in North Carolina is a greater cause for fear than all of their efforts at bluff, bulldozing and intimidation, and every honest treeman who believes in the economic reforms for which the Peoples Party contends, should go to the polls on election day and work harder than we ever worked before to prevent it.

This is a fair sample of the Democratic arguments. The fact is it was impossible for them to defeat all the goldbug hypocrites to produce any argument in reply, or deny a single charge made. Such men, when exposed, smart and burn under the exposure. Abuse, slander and billingsgate are their only reply.

If the Ransomites and railroad attorneys get the next legislature of course they can disfranchise voters by law; they can pass an election law to disfranchise men by keeping them off the registration books under technicalities; they can disfranchise men by throwing out their votes and stuffing ballot boxes and doctoring false returns, even if they allow every man to go through the farce of sticking his vote in the box.

When notice is given to the Populists and railroad attorneys that they will be defeated in the next legislature, they will be compelled to do what they can to save face.

For the last thirty years the Ransom Democratic machine have tried, ignored and put off the background every reform issue behind the cry of "nigger." Why have they been in co-operation with every railroad and monopoly in the State to rob and bleed the people.

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The railroads are happy when the "nigger" cry can be raised. It keeps the railroads and the men who are trying to dislodge and rob the people from being an issue. The railroads and all the other monopolies are putting up the campaign fund for these Democratic politicians who are against Bryan and silver.

How can these Democratic machine politicians sell the people out to the railroads behind the "nigger" cry without the people finding it out sooner or later? They can't. The people will find it out, but if they let the Democratic machine, under the direction of Ransom and Simmons get the next legislature it will find it out too late. Why? Because Simmons, the high priest of ballot-box stuffers will pass an election law by which they can throw out fifty thousand voters in any election. How can the people rebuke traitors if these traitors have the election machinery by which they can throw out as many votes as they want to and steal an election? If Secret Circular Simmons and his crowd of ballot-box stuffers get the legislature, then the railroads and all the other monopolies are to co-operate in the peace and order and welfare of the State. If they attempt such methods to get in power, to what extremes will they not go? Unfortunately they should get in power. The fact that they attempt such methods to intimidate voters should encourage them to the danger of their getting in. Their conduct should cause every freedman to solidly register a vote that, as loves his family and his State, he will go to the polls on election day and see that the political rights of the citizens are respected and that the voters of the State have a free opportunity to cast their ballot and demand votes in any election. How can the people rebuke traitors if these traitors have the election machinery by which they can throw out as many votes as they want to and steal an election?

They have shown that the men of the State are not to be trifled with. They are not to be trifled with, and they are not to be trifled with.

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EDITORIAL BRIEFS.

If the Democratic bullpen machine carries the State, the railroads will own the legislature.

The railroads that put up the campaign funds for McKinley are now putting up campaign funds for the Democratic machine.

The only argument the Democratic machine had in 1892 to reply to the facts and figures and arguments used by the Peoples Party speakers in 1892 was rotten eggs. The only reply they have to the unanswerable arguments of the Peoples Party speakers in the campaign of 1892 is rotten eggs.

The Democratic machine crowd always make a great show of sympathy for a one-armed ex-Confederate soldier, provided he is a Democratic one-armed ex-Confederate soldier and they can make political capital out of him, but they think it is perfectly right and proper to rotten-egg a one-armed ex-Confederate soldier if he happens to be a Populist.

If the State is in danger of the horrors of negro domination, as the Democrats loudly proclaim on every stump, then did not the Democratic State Convention of railroad lawyers do a most criminal thing when it refused to accept the proposition of the Peoples Party for a co-operation of the voters who supported Bryan and carried the State in the campaign of 1896 by 30,000 majority?

The Democratic machine claims that it is making a patriotic fight against negro domination. The Peoples Party proposed to help these men make a fight, and a dead sure winning fight, against both "negro domination" and "monopoly domination." Why did the Democrats refuse this proposition unless they were more anxious to have monopoly domination than they were afraid of negro domination?

If we have not got white supremacy now, as the Democrats claim, and the necessity for white supremacy is the overshadowing issue, why did the Democratic machine permit their love for pie and their love for monopoly to prevent them from accepting a certain means of winning a sure victory for all that they claim they want?

The Ransom Democratic machine has howled "nigger" in every campaign since the war except in the campaign of 1896. In that campaign they stole the People's Party platform, and for the first time in thirty years advocated Jeffersonian principles. This year they have backslid to their old and familiar cry of "nigger" and are howling "nigger" twice as loud as ever to try to make up for the one campaign in which they failed to howl "nigger."

The kind of stuff that the Democratic machine press is daily publishing, and that A. B. Andrews' negro calamity bowlers are daily talking on every stump, has done more to put false notions and ideas into the heads of the negroes of the State than any and every other agency in the State combined.

The Ticket That Will Win.
The co-operative ticket is as follows: State—J. P. H. Adams, House—C. G. Harris, Rep., L. N. Bain, Pop. Thad Young, Rep. Register of Deeds—J. J. Rogers, Pop. Sheriff—T. Jones, Rep. Treasurer—Guy V Barnes, Pop. County Commissioners—Jesse G. Ball, Rep., Wm. Chamberlain and Rufus Barnes, Populists. Coroner—Dr. A. Jones, Rep. Surveyor—Pittman Stell, Pop.

THE N. C. STATE FAIR.

Opens Auspiciously and the Prospects of a Grand Success—Gov. Russell Officially Opens the Fair—Grand Parade of Marshals and Maids of Honor.

The North Carolina State Fair is now open and the prospects are auspicious. The grand opening was Tuesday at 11 o'clock the mounted marshals and maids of honor paraded from the Yarbo House to the fair grounds. Gov. Russell and staff besides city officials and officers of the Fair Association were in carriages and followed the march of the marshals. President Cunningham introduced Governor Russell and in a short appropriate speech declared the Fair officially open.

The weather was perfect and for an hour or two the crowd was immense. Dancers and exhibitors are all in place while the midway is filled with amusements of all kinds. Secretary Nichols has worked hard to get everything in readiness for the opening and his labors were well rewards.

In our next issue we will review at more length the various departments etc.

A Thousand Tongues.

Could not express the rapture of Annie E. Springer, of 1125, Howard St., Philadelphia, Pa., when she found that Dr. Eliza Newell's Discovery for consumption had completed its cure of her of a hacking cough that for many years had made life a burden. All other remedies and doctors could give her no help, but she says of this Royal Cure: "It soon removed the pain in my chest and I could again sleep soundly. I can scarcely remember the praise throughout the universe." So will every one who tries Dr. King's New Discovery for any trouble of the throat, chest or lungs. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free at any store.

HIRE THUGS CAUGHT.

A Gang of Roughs Attack a Man at a Gas-Works—Arraigned and will be Dealt With According to Law.

Special to The Caucasian.]

Everybody in this county knows that there are a great many Winchester rifles deposited at different points in our county and State to be used in intimidating voters in the election. These rifles are to be spotted where houses and premises are to suffer at the hands of hired vandals, also, the towns have been sounded and the Head of the police force has been sounded. Last Sunday night the hollow tent of brother Merritt was the scene of one of the most dastardly acts the history of Robeson has ever known. Two negroes, who were armed with pistols, attacked one man, and after firing many shots down the different roads, beat him until they knew that they were recognized, and yesterday, in the full blaze of a noon day sun they took a ride in a country sashay, under the escort of our friend, Sam Parks, who gave the advice and compliments of our "other friend, Solicitor Sewell. "The way of the transgressor is hard."

"DIXON."

WOMAN'S WORK.



An apt old adage declares that woman's work is never done. This is true of the housewife's manifold duties and approximately one-half of the thousands who work all day in factories and stores and half the time in spinning and weaving and mending their own clothes or sewing for others to patch out a meager income. Women who are too tired on their feet, or who are unable to stand the strain of heavy work, are peculiarly susceptible to the annoyances and irregularities that are the bane of womankind. The symptoms of such derangements are insufficient or excessive menstruation, headache, backache, neuritis, neuralgic attacks, displacements and extreme nervousness, all of which may lead to hysteria. The use of morphine is dangerous and examinations by male physicians are painful and unpleasant.

Bradfield's Female Regulator, a standard regulator for a quarter of a century, will speedily cure the worst disorders of women. Bradfield's Regulator is sold by druggists at one dollar a bottle. Interesting and valuable books for women mailed free on application.

THE BRADFIELD REGULATOR CO., Atlanta, Ga.

PUBLIC SPEAKINGS.

Senator Butler's Appointments.

Senator Butler will address the people at the following points, some changes have been made since our last issue.

Warrenton Saturday, Oct. 29.

Mr. Olive, Wayne Co., Thursday, November 3.

The Democratic party desires a division of time at this point with Senator Butler, correspondence should be had with Dr. Cyrus Thompson, State Chairman Peoples Party Ex. Committee, Raleigh.

Fayetteville Cumberland County, Saturday, Nov. 5.

Dr. Cyrus Thompson's Appointments.

Charlotte, Mecklenburg County, Friday, Oct. 28.

Hickory Catawba County, Saturday, Oct. 29.

Benson, N. C., Friday Nov. 4.

Franklin's, Swift Creek Township, Friday, October 29, 12 M.

Fayetteville Franklin Branch Township Saturday, October 29, 10 a. M.

Holly Springs, Holly Springs Township, Tuesday, November 12 M.

Cooley's School House, Ode Grove Township, Wednesday, November 2d, 12 M.

Hon. Jos. J. Jenkins, Peoples Party member Congress, and Hon. H. K. King, speak at the following places in Vance County:

Williamsburg, Wednesday, November 2d, 11 a. m.

Henderson, Thursday, November 3d, 12 M.

Kittrell, Friday, November 4th, 11 A. m.

Hon. Jos. J. Jenkins, Peoples Party member Congress, and Hon. Jno. J. Mitchell, will speak at the following places in Franklin County:

Centreville, Friday, October 28th, 11 a. m.

Louisburg, Saturday, October 29th, 11 a. m.

Franklin, Monday, October 31st, 11 a. m.

Youngsville, Tuesday, November 1st, 11 a. m.

Hon. J. M. Mewbore will address the people at the following places and dates:

Webster, Jackson county, Friday, Oct. 28.

Monroe, McDowell county, Saturday, Oct. 29.

Buncombe, Watauga county, Monday, Oct. 31.

Taylorville, Alexander Co., Wednesday, November, 2.

Graham, Alamance county, Thursday, Nov. 3.

THE GANG HOWLS "NIGGER"

But no Negro ever as the Democratic Machine has been to the People before. Two Abysinians Contradicting Another of Their Lies.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA,

GREENE COUNTY,

I am the father of Dora Besman referred to in the editorial in the Standard of the Green County Standard issued October 1898 and published in the town of Snow Hill N. C.

The article referred to is infra mense false and does a great injustice to the sheriff, to my daughter and to myself, and it shows to what straits the Democratic party are driven to for political capital.

I further state that no warrant subpoena or summons of any kind was served on my daughter by any negro deputy sheriff or deputy of any kind under sheriff R. D. S. Dixon, I further state that Mr. R. D. S. Dixon informed me by letter that my daughter was wanted as a witness in a case of the State vs. Dock Black I notified her myself and accompanied her to court.

N. H. BEAMAN.

Swearn to and subscribed before me,

W. E. Murphrey, Register of Deeds of Greene County, this Oct. 22, 1898.

W. E. MURPHREY,

Register of Deeds.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA,

GREENE COUNTY,

My name is Dora Besman, I was a witness at August term of Superior Court of Greene county, beginning on the 8th day of August 1898 in case of State vs. Dock Black, a man known as the Green County Standard in an editorial of said paper dated October 20th 1898.

My father is N. H. Beaman who informed me that I was a witness to an assault on Mr. John W. O'Hara, an attorney for the defense, at the 8th day of court, and was sworn to count on that day, where I awaited the call of the court.

I did not see any negro officer or deputy Sheriff. I further State I have never had any warrant or subpoena or notice of any kind served on me by a negro deputy Sheriff.

I have never received any notice or message of any kind written or oral, from Sheriff R. D. S. Dixon through a negro deputy Sheriff or any other negro.

DORA BEAMAN.

Swearn to and subscribed before me,

W. E. Murphrey Register of Deeds, of Greene county, this 22nd day of October 1898.

W. E. MURPHREY,

Register of Deeds.

THE GANG CALLING THEMSELVES RESPECTABLE DRUGISTS INTERFERES WITH FREE SPEECH—THEM THROW BRICKBATS AND FIRE PISTOLS TO PREVENT POPULIS'S SPEAKERS FROM DISCUSSING ISSUES.

The Caucasian just received a letter from a gentleman at Rocky Mount describing the unbecoming conduct of a gang claiming to be Democratic and for good government who acted like a lot of hoodlums and thugs.

Mr. J. M. Jenkins, candidate for Congress and Mr. H. E. King, speaker of the House, spoke October 24th, at night, at Davenport's store, a place between Rocky Mount and the Rocky Mount Mills, to enable the factory men and day laborers to hear them. A large crowd turned out to hear these speakers unscrupulous and lawless leaders who, it is said, are trying to leave this State upon gain of being arrested and dealt with according to law.

Done at our city of Raleigh, this 26th day of October, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, and in the one hundred and twenty-third year of our American Independence. By the Governor.

DAVID L. RUSSELL, Private Secy.

HOODLUMS AT WORK.

A Gang Calling Themselves Respectable Drugists Interferes with Free Speech—They Throw Brickbats and Fire Pistols to Prevent Populists' Speakers from Discussing Issues.

Something of the Record of the South Carolina Brigand—Now Marauding North Carolina.

EDITOR OF THE RED SHIRT ARCHITECTS.

Leaders of the Red Shirt Architcts.

F. M. SIMMONS' FAMOUS SECRET, CIRCULAR

Under Which Thousands of Voters Were Disfranchised in 1892.

The following is a copy of a typewritten letter sent out to the chairman of the several county Democratic committees and intended for their confidential use.

Raleigh, N. C., Sept. 29th, 1892.

Sir—I call your attention to the accompanying letter of Attorney-General Davy.

The registrars must open their books and give up their records on the 29th day of September, and close them at 12 o'clock noon on Saturday, 29th of October.

According to a recent decision of the Supreme Court, it is the duty of the registrars to read to each elector before he registers at least head of each column of the registration book, the name and place of residence in the words in which he gives it or he may make the voter correct his answer, and give his statement more specifically.

The act is declared mandatory in the opinion referred to Harris vs. Scarborough in the N. C. Reports and therefore the registration is a unit of the election, and the voter's name, occupation, place of birth, and place of residence of the elector, as well as the township or county from whence he comes, and the full Christian and surname by which the voter is known.

In answer to three questions, viz:

Face of residence, place of birth, and place of death, voter has removed in case of removal, the court holds that it is not sufficient to enter simply the name of the State, but the name of the city, town, or place of residence. Where the registrar failed two years ago to enter the "place of birth and place of residence" of J. E. O'Hara, H. P. Cheatham, and Geo. H. White, he only canvassed for these men, but voted for them, and other colored men for County officers, and expressed his anxiety for their election.

The following is a copy of a letter he wrote Hon. Geo. H. White, then colored Solicitor for that District, and a candidate at that time for renomination, and now a member of Congress from that District, and candidate for reelection.

"Hon. Geo. H. White, Esq., House of Representatives, Washington, D. C.: My Dear Sir: I regret that I cannot afford you the name and address of the day of opening and closing the registration books, & take early occasion to see each one personally and give him full instructions as to how to do his duty.

No more important duty devolves upon you in this campaign. This is a confidential communication and only intended for your guidance.

Yours truly, F. M. SIMMONS.

Chairman.

PINGREE'S FIGHT ON BURROWS.

Accuses the Senator of Lobbying Against Railroad Taxation Bill.

Washington Post.

GRANAPIDS, Mich. Oct. 17.—Gov.

Pingree opened his campaign tonight in the city and gave evidence that he fights against the re-election of Senator Burrows will be to a finish.

He declared that during the special session of the legislature,

Senator Burrows and McMillan used the Federal patronage at their disposal to influence members of the State Senate to vote against the passage of the railroad taxation bill.

He demanded the defeat of Burrows and urged the voters to be careful whom they elected to the next legis-

lature.

To Cure Constipation forever.

Take Cascarets Candy Cathartic. 10c or 25c C. C. 100% pure drugs and refund money.

SUCCESSFUL PHYSICIANS.

We heartily recommend Dr. Hartness, of Atlanta, Ga., as being perfectly reliable and remarkably successful in the treat-

ment of chronic diseases of men and women. They cure where others fail.

Our readers if in need of medical help should certainly write these eminent doctors, and we will give them free and explicit directions of your case by return mail without cost; this certainly is the right way to do business. They guarantee their cures. Write them to-day.

If the Baby is Cutting Teeth,

Be sure and use that old and well tried remedy, Mrs. Winslow's SOOTHING SYRUP, for children teething. It soothes the child softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic and is the best remedy for diarrhoea. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

The Peoples Party Congressional Ex. Committee met on the 11th in Durham and endorsed the nomination of Spencer B. Adams for Congress for the 6th Congressional District.

W. O. STRATFORD, Chmn. P. P. Com. Com.

At a meeting of the Judicial Execu-

tive Committee of the Peoples Party, held in Durham on the 11th, nominated for Judge Wm. P. Bynum, Jr., and that of Wm. D. Merritt as candidates for solicitor for the district.

Dr. Wm. MERRITT, Chmn. P. P. Judicial Ex. Com. Per Stratford.

PAYING INVESTMENT

An Advert in The Caucasian Bring Good Returns—Read What a Progressive Firm Says.

CHATHAM MFG. CO., Elkin, N. C., May 21, 1898.

The CAUCASIAN, Raleigh, N. C.:

Give me a copy of your paper for ad. for this season, and will thank you to insert instead of the old.

Our last season's ad. in your paper did us much good.

Yours truly CHATHAM MFG. CO.

Liver Pills

Like biliousness, dyspepsia, headache, constipation, sour stomach, indigestion are promptly cured by Hood's Pills. They do their work easily and thoroughly. Best after dinner pills. 25 cents. All druggists. Prepared by C. L. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass. The only Pill to take with Hood's Saraparita. Use it.

Take it every evening.

For the Clinton CAUCASIAN.]

There is one man in our county who says that H. C. Charles R. Thomas has got to go to Congress, after the coming election, if he wants to take his mule and cart and convey him up to Washington. Well we suspect that Congress would adjourn in their honor if they should get there.

There is a certain Democrat who expresses great surprise, because Mr. J. E. Royal, a prominent merchant, farmer and ginner, of Clinton, has employed a Populist as his cotton weigher. We give Mr. Royal credit for having too much sense to think that a Populist is a worthless creature and that nobody can do any thing with credit except he be a Democrat. And besides, the Populists of our county grow a large per cent of this product and were well repaid.

Thus, W. Mason, a noted Democ-

rat, bowler of North Carolina,

preceded Tilman so as to set the pace for the South Carolinians to give him a hearty welcome.

He began with many apologies and assurances that he was speak-

ing to Tilman's request. He raved, ranted, and beat the air to no purpose for forty minutes, and in this short time had to stop twice to assure the crowd that he was speaking at Tilman's request, and would close in a few more minutes.

About 1 p.m. the great Ben. Tilman arose to address the crowd. He began slowly. The world has but one Ben. Tilman. One almost imagines when he looks at Tilman, when he is in repose, that he was made at the forge of Vulcan, from the thunderbolts of Jove, and when that stern face is clouded one almost expects to see the lightning dash from the terrible brow, but Tilman can look pleasant sometimes, and so he looked yesterday when he rose and looked over that great audience, having addressed hundreds of ladies who had come out to do him honor on that rainy morning. He said that never before had he been in so much doubt as to what he should say. But with few preliminaries and no hesitation, he proceeded to eat and slash the Democrats and Populists of North Carolina, without mercy, but admitting to a certain amount of ignorance as to the actual situation here, those who did know, saw that he was really exacerbating the Populists, and giving it to the Democrats hip and thigh. He proposed to castigate the Democrats and rail salt on the sores, after which he proposed to throw some mud upon the Populists eyes. When he was unmercifully dogging the Democrats the crowd yelled roarred with a applause.

He spoke of North Carolina Democrats as political idiots, and the idea was cheered with a will. When the time came to王牌 on the Populists, he proceeded with many misgivings, and so added his remarks with "this is really his son" that his house was really ruined.

The vast audience became lantern-jawed and silent. The great orator gladiator thrust in his keen blade then and again for Populists blood, yet it remained bright and stainless. The vast audience became more funeral-like and sad. Finally the great man paused, and looking all over the grief-stricken crowd, he said: "My God! I thought I was brought here to talk to Democrats, but judging from what the crowd cheers for, and assumes a funeral aspect at this audience must be all Populists."

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It is safe to say that Weaver will be a power in the next Congress.

The Washington Post is opposing the election of General Weaver to Congress, but the following is what it says about him and the fight he is making for Congress in his district in Iowa:

"In the Sixth District General Weaver is making a supreme effort to defeat Maj. Lacy. Weaver repre-

sented this district in 1878-80. He dropped out in 1890 to become the Greenback nominee for President, and in 1882 was defeated by M. E. Cutts. He was elected as a fusionist in 1884, re-elected in 1886. Weaver is a past master in the campaigning art. He can kiss the babies, know what to say to the farmer's wife, and has a magnetic hand-shake which has done yeoman's work service in many a hard campaign. Although his career is marked with more defeats than victories, he is always a dangerous foe, resourceful and ever active. He is now engaged in making a house-to-house canvass of the district.

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